

SENATE BILL 1656
By Woodson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54,
Chapter 17, relative to scenic roadways.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-17-205, is amended by deleting the section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(a) All outdoor advertising structures issued a permit prior to April 27, 1982, shall be valid.

(b) All outdoor advertising structures issued a permit by the appropriate state and local governing bodies prior to January 1, 2005, which are substantially completed by January 1, 2005, in good faith reliance on such permit shall be valid.

(c) These structures shall be able to be maintained, repaired, reconstructed or constructed according to the original application for the outdoor advertising permit.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.